

PUBLIC SAFETY

FRIDAY, JULY 15

7:19 a.m. — A resident on Magic Garden Lane, Irrigon, reported her neighbor's two pit bull dogs were attacking her horses. The dogs were trying to bite the horses, and the horses were trying to kick the dogs. A Morrow County sheriff's deputy responded and spoke to the owners of the horses and dogs.

9:17 a.m. — A resident on Marshall Loop, Boardman, reported the neighbor's pit bull dog knocked down her husband, causing him back pain and bleeding in the mouth. Morrow County Sheriff's Office responded and issued a citation to the dog owner.

10:12 a.m. — A 911 caller at Triple M Truck & Equipment, 77765 Westland Road, Hermiston, reported a school bus on fire. Emergency agencies responded.

12:01 p.m. — An Irrigon resident reported a dog at Southeast 13th Street and Idaho Avenue jumped the fence and chased him to his house. A Morrow County sheriff's deputy responded and cited the owner of the dog.

2:45 p.m. — Hermiston police responded to the 200 block of North First Street on a report of an assault.

3:27 p.m. — A 911 caller at Crossroads Truck Stop, 2020 Highway 730, Umatilla, reported the building behind the truck stop was "fully engulfed" in flames. Emergency agencies responded.

4:44 p.m. — A 911 caller on Northeast Riverside Avenue, Pendleton, reported his brother threatened him with a bar.

6:08 p.m. — A person at the Irrigon Shell Station, 300 S.E. Highway 730, waived down a Morrow County sheriff's deputy and reported the theft of a vehicle. The deputy took a report.

7:16 p.m. — Umatilla County Sheriff's Office dispatch received a 911 call on Locust Road, Milton-Freewater. The dispatcher heard a distraught-sounding male yell "Help me," then the call dropped.

SATURDAY, JULY 16

11:05 a.m. — Hermiston police received a report of child abuse/neglect.

2:45 p.m. — Umatilla County sheriff's deputies responded to North First Street, Hermiston, on a report of an assault.

6:56 p.m. — Pendleton police responded to the 300 block of Southwest Second Street for a burglary. Police took a report.

11:49 p.m. — A resident on Anderson Road, Boardman, reported his friend was at his house and stealing items. Morrow

County Sheriff's Office responded and found the caller was "highly intoxicated" and there was no crime.

SUNDAY, JULY 17

12:00 a.m. — Hermiston police responded to West Ridgeway Avenue on a report of an assault.

12:49 a.m. — Hermiston police responded to the 700 block of West Ridgeway Avenue on a report of an assault.

3:07 a.m. — Umatilla County sheriff's deputies responded to Quiggle Lane, Hermiston, on a report of an assault.

3:37 a.m. — Hermiston police responded to the 1200 block of West Madrona Avenue for a call about a burglary

4:54 a.m. — A 33-year-old Milton-Freewater man fell asleep while driving and his vehicle ran off the road on the 1800 block of Highway 11 and ended up on its side in a culvert.

2:09 p.m. — A caller reported a deer that may have chronic wasting disease was on his property off Highway 207, Heppner. Morrow County dispatch notified the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife.

2:52 p.m. — Umatilla police responded to Econo Lodge, 1481 Sixth St., Umatilla, on a report of an assault.

3:26 p.m. — A 911 caller at Umatilla Wildlife Refuge, on Ferry Road and Third Street, Umatilla, reported someone had suffered a possible broken arm/broken shoulder. Emergency agencies responded.

7:57 p.m. — Umatilla County sheriff's deputies responded to the United States Postal Service, 204 E. Main St., Weston, on a report of a male and female fighting in the parking lot.

**ARRESTS, CITATIONS
July 15**

- Umatilla County Community Corrections arrested Joe Cummings Bonner, 53, for possession of armor piercing ammunition.
- Milton-Freewater police arrested Jose Diaz Madrigal, 37, of Milton-Freewater, for interfering with a peace officer, hindering prosecution, resisting arrest, harassment, disorderly conduct and assault of a peace officer.

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Hermiston police arrested Leonicio Isaac Garza, 39, for four counts of fourth-degree assault.

Irrigon Watermelon Festival coming July 30

BY ERICK PETERSON
East Oregonian

IRRIGON — The countdown is on for the 2022 Irrigon Watermelon Festival, and organizers are bustling with excitement.

"This is our 38th year," Charlene Cooley, the event's program director, said. "Yes, we're excited."

The annual event, which takes place this year on July 30, typically includes a breakfast, parade, games and more. Entertainment, a car show and a street dance are part of the fun, too. Activities center on Marina Park, 430 Eighth St. N.E., Irrigon.

Cooley said the festival focuses on a similar theme every year — community. Several local civic groups take part in the event, she said. Some of the town's churches, businesses and school organizations, too, participate.

These groups, she said, organize games, food and entertainment for the festival. Thanks to their efforts, Cooley said, the festival is a busy day of activities.

Schedule of events

She said the festival starts at 6:30 a.m. at the park with a big breakfast.

The parade is an early highlight.

At 10 a.m. the parade runs through Irrigon, going down Columbia Lane, North First Street, Northeast Main Avenue, 12th Street and ending at the entrance to the park.

Local school cheerleaders, firefighters, sheriff's deputies and other groups are typically represented, she said. However, she added, the parade is not limited to



Irrigon Watermelon Festival/Contributed Photo

Youth in 2019 dress up to promote the 35th annual Irrigon Watermelon Festival. The 38th celebration is Saturday, July 30, 2022.

those people. As the parade is a celebration of the town, it includes all sorts of people.

"Anyone who wants to be in the parade is welcome," Cooley said.

Registration to participate in the parade starts at 8 a.m. at Stokes Landing Senior Center, 195 Opal Place, Irrigon.

One special person is planning to take the parade's lead. Dirk Dirksen, who recently retired as the Morrow County School District superintendent, is the grand marshal.

Festivities at the park

At the completion of the parade, celebrations continue at Marina Park.

"We have lots of foods, local crafts, vendors and more," Cooley said three weeks prior to the event. "I

think I have over 30 vendors so far."

She added the car show, children's games, boat rides and more provides fun for just about anyone. There is also a co-ed softball tournament, which the Friends of the Irrigon Library host.

By noon, she stated, the live entertainment opens. The festival's Facebook page lists Zac Grooms at noon, Olivia Harms at 4:30 p.m. and Sky Dogs performing, too.

It also states that there will be a beer garden 4-8 p.m. during the evening entertainment.

At 9 p.m., Desert Sounds Entertainment starts a light show and DJ performance.

A proud community

Cooley stated that the Watermelon Festival is the

"one big event that Irrigon has."

"People come home for it," she said. "It's a celebration of community and something that people look forward to, remember and come back for."

DEATH NOTICES

Stephen U. 'Steve' McKay

Hermiston
Jan. 21, 1940 — July 14, 2022

Stephen U. "Steve" McKay, 82, of Hermiston, died July 14, 2022, in Hermiston. He was born Jan. 21, 1940, in Seattle. Recitation of the holy rosary will be Aug. 10, 10 a.m. at Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church, 565 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston. Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 10:30 a.m. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Share memories at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Troy Richard Young

Meacham
March 11, 1937 — June 26, 2022

Troy Richard Young, 85, resident of Meacham, died June 26, 2022. He was born March 11, 1937, in Armory, Mississippi. A graveside service with military honors will be July 19, 10:30 a.m. at Ft. Bliss National Cemetery, El Paso, Texas.

UPCOMING SERVICES

THURSDAY, JULY 21

Dalton, Pauline — Laid to rest, 1 p.m. at Willamette National Cemetery, Portland.

Harvey, Hallie — Celebration of life, 4-7 p.m. in the Roy Raley Room at the Pendleton Round-Up Grounds, 1205 S.W. Court Ave.

Taylor, Joe — Celebration of life, 1 p.m. at Heppner Elks Lodge, 142 N. Main St. A potluck will follow.

FRIDAY, JULY 22

Bafus, Vicki — Entombment, 1 p.m. at Olympic Memorial Gardens, Tumwater, Washington.

LOTTERY

Friday, July 15, 2022	Megabucks
Megamillions	1-6-8-26-43-45
8-20-26-53-64	Jackpot: \$3.5 million
Megaball: 15	Lucky Lines
Megaplier: 5	1-7-11-16-22-26-32
Jackpot: \$530 million	Jackpot: \$14,000
Lucky Lines	Pick 4
4-8-9-13-18-24-27-31	1 p.m.: 7-5-2-5
Jackpot: \$13,000	4 p.m.: 8-3-4-6
Pick 4	7 p.m.: 3-9-3-8
1 p.m.: 2-2-9-3	10 p.m.: 2-3-0-5
4 p.m.: 5-7-0-5	Win for Life
7 p.m.: 8-2-6-7	1-63-67-70
10 p.m.: 0-7-4-5	Sunday, July 17, 2022
Saturday, July 16, 2022	Lucky Lines
Powerball	2-5-11-15-17-21-26-30
3-18-23-32-57	Estimated jackpot: \$16,000
Powerball: 21	Pick 4
Power Play: 2	1 p.m.: 9-1-4-7
Jackpot: \$89 million	4 p.m.: 4-4-0-0
	7 p.m.: 5-0-3-5
	10 p.m.: 6-8-0-7



Philip Don Musgrove

May 25, 1952 - July 6, 2022

Philip Don Musgrove, of Pendleton, Oregon, passed away July 6, 2022, after an accident suffered at home.

Phil was born on May 25, 1952, in La Junta, Colorado, to Benjamin and Juanda Musgrove. After the sudden death of his father his family moved to Longview, Washington.

Phil graduated high school in Longview, Washington. It was in high school where Phil met his future wife, Anita Jane Williams. They started holding hands when he was 17 and she was 15, and they were still holding hands at the time of Phil's passing.

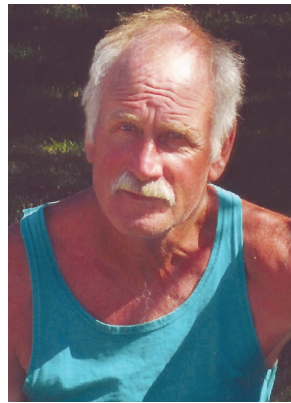
Phil graduated from the University of Washington with a degree in forestry. Phil loved his job as a forester and spent his career working for the US Forest Service. He had many roles as a forester, some of which included fighting forest fires, managing forest resources as a contracting officer for timber sales, and logistics chief for the Type 1 Team overseeing coordination functions at major incidents. One of the first major projects Phil worked on during his career was the timber harvest layout after the 1980 Mount St. Helens eruption. As a logistics chief, he went to New York City to provide logistical support during the aftermath of the 9/11 attack, and to Texas after the Columbia Space Shuttle disaster.

During Phil's career, he and Anita lived in Cougar, Washington, Union, Oregon, and Pendleton, Oregon. It was in Pendleton, Oregon, where Phil and Anita found their forever home, which Phil affectionately referred to as "Windy Ridge." It was a labor of love, Phil and Anita working together throughout the years as they remodeled their home and developed the land at Windy Ridge. Phil was always the first to acknowledge that Anita was the one in charge, and Anita always agreed with him.

After 37 years with the Forest Service,

Phil retired and started his own business, PDM HANDY.

He enjoyed helping his neighbors and friends with their home remodel projects,



golf cart repairs, automotive repairs and many other projects. When the project was particularly challenging his favorite phrase was, "Let me go noodle it and I'll get back to you with some ideas."

A favorite pastime of Phil and Anita's was playing golf. The favored color of Anita's when they went golfing was pink. Phil saw to it that Anita had a pink golf bag, pink colored golf grips, pink balls — everything pink. As a result of all the pink it comes as no surprise that Phil began affectionately calling Anita, "Pinkie."

Phil enjoyed hunting, fishing, golfing and farming, especially haying. He enjoyed visiting and spending time with his neighbors, friends, and family. His favorite time of day was in the evenings when he and Anita sat under their favorite tree enjoying each other's company. They called it their "tree time."

Phil was preceded in death by his father, Benjamin; mother, Juanda; brothers, Marc Musgrove and Harley Cameron Musgrove; brother-in-law, Don Webster; his aunt, Kathy Schultz; father-in-law, Earl Williams; and brother-in-law, Donald Williams.

Survivors include his wife, Anita; sisters, Bennie Webster and Cindy (Cheryl) Musgrove; mother-in-law, Geri Williams; sister-in-law, Kay (David) Prater; sister-in-law, Patti (Bill) Powell, and numerous nephews and nieces who all adored him.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or a charity of your choice.

Per the family's request a private service will be held July 23, 2022.

COMMUNITY BRIEFING

Mirasol clinic hosts health fair

HERMISTON — Family fun, as well as medical screenings, immunizations and nutrition information are all featured during Mirasol Family Health Center's health fair.

The event also includes pony rides, face painting and raffles. It is Saturday, July 23, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at 589 N.W. 11th St., Hermiston. There is no admission charge.

The clinic also offers discounted sports physicals for children. Parents can call 541-567-1717 to schedule an appointment. For additional information, visit www.yvfwc.com/event/mirasol-health-fair.

Bulldogs from early '70s plan reunion

HERMISTON — Calling all members of Hermiston High School classes of 1970



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Camila Cazana practices brushing a stuffed dragon's teeth Aug. 25, 2018, at Mirasol Family Health Center's health fair in Hermiston. The free 2022 event is 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, July 23.

through 1973, a joint Bulldog reunion is planned.

The event kicks off with a no-host meet-and-greet Sept. 30, 5 p.m. at Midway Bar & Grill. The fun and memories continue on Oct. 1, 3-9 p.m. at Bennett Botanical Gardens. No-host food and drinks will be available for

purchase. The cost is \$15 at the gate.

In addition to food, musical entertainment is planned. Also, organizers are looking for a volunteer to take group photos. For more information, search www.facebook.com/groups/113359993897.

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